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REMARKS

In a Restriction Requirement, mailed January 4, 2002, restriction was made to one of the following inventions:

- I. Claims 1-9;
- II. Claims 10 and 12-15; and
- III. Claim 11.

Applicant hereby elects Group II, without traverse. If the Examiner has any questions which may be answered by telephone, he is invited to call the undersigned directly.

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